

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

STATE OF MISSOURI, ex rel. ANDREW)	CASE NO: 3:22-cv-1213
BAILEY, Attorney General, et al.)	
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Plaintiffs,)	
)	JUDGE DOUGHTY
vs.)	
)	MAGISTRATE MCCLUSKY
JOSEPH R. BIDEN, JR., in his official capacity)	
as President of the United State)	
)	UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR
Defendants.)	LEAVE TO FILE AMICUS BRIEF
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Prospective *amicus curiae*, The Buckeye Institute, respectfully requests leave to file an amicus brief in support of the Plaintiffs' Motion for Preliminary Injunction. A copy of the Amicus Brief is attached to this filing. The brief focuses on points not made in the Plaintiffs' Motion or Brief in Support. Counsel for *amicus curiae* has contacted counsel for Defendants, who do not object to the filing of the amicus brief.

Respectfully submitted,

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The foregoing Motion for Leave was served on all counsel of record via the Court's electronic filing system this 18th day of April 2023.

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